

VEHICLE SAFETY/POLLUTION RECALL CAMPAIGN IN JAPAN

Domestic Import Vehicles

CAMPAIGN No.	Gai-2975	DATE	January 22 nd , 2020
MANUFACTURER	BMW/ALPINA (Japanese Importer: Nicole Racing Japan LLC)		
DESCRIPTION OF DEFECT	<p>There have been indications that this type of gas generator can leak in the long term. This leak enables the propellant in the gas generator to absorb moisture. A high moisture absorption and re-drying over longer periods of time can lead to a breakdown of the propellant.</p> <p>In this case, in the event of an accidental airbag deployment, a very high internal pressure in the gas generator can occur and in the worst case it can burst the gas generator and metal parts can cause possibly injuries.</p>		

TYPE	COMMERCIAL NAME	MODEL YEAR RECALLED	NUMBER OF VEHICLE
GF-3E44	ALPINA B3-3.3	1999	15
		Total	15

Vehicles which may have received a replacement driver air bag as part of a vehicle repair.

TYPE	COMMERCIAL NAME	MODEL YEAR RECALLED	NUMBER OF VEHICLE
GF-3E44	ALPINA B3-3.3	1999	91
	ALPINA B3-3.3 Coupe	2000	16
	Total		107